

MEMORANDUM

Date: August 18, 2016
To: Transfer 81025
From: Cooper Fritz
Re: Review & Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information

This is the combination of one transfer and two exchanges, submitted simultaneously. The transfer defines the new PODs for right 27-104, and the POU for rights 27-104, 27-105, and 0.46 cfs of right 27-106. The two exchanges define the new PODs for rights 27-105 and 27-106. At the new POU, the rights will be combined with 27-74, which has a season of use from 04/15 - 07/01.

Authority to File:

The applicant, Meadow Creek Ranch, LLC, has the authority to file. At the time of transfer submittal, the three water rights were in the name of Loyal Junior and Lavora White. An "Agreement for Perchance and Sale of Water Rights" conveyed the three rights, except for 0.04 cfs of right 27-106, from Loyal Junior White to Meadow Creek Ranch, LLC, care of David Bosen. David Bosen signed the application. The land at the new POU is owned by Meadow Creek Ranch, LLC, according to Caribou County taxlot data.

Water Right Validity:

The water rights are valid. They were decreed on 7/22/2015.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

No other water rights will be injured as a result of this transfer. The watermaster for water district 27 was notified of the transfer and did not oppose its approval, so long as standard measurement device language was included in the conditions. The transfer was advertised and no protests were received.

Enlargement of Use:

No enlargement of use will result from this transfer's approval. The transfer proposes to move the water rights to an area already covered by water right 27-74, consolidating water usage.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.